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Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is the utility patent application of:

Inventors or Application Identifier: **John Elmore Schier**

Entitled: **METHOD, DEVICE, AND NETWORK FOR PROVIDING SECURE COMMUNICATION ENVIRONMENTS**

Enclosed are:

1. ☒ Fee Transmittal Form
2. ☒ Specification, Claims and Abstract (33 Total Pages)
3. ☒ Drawings (2 Total Sheet(s) of X Formal    Informal)
4. ☒ Signed Combined Declaration and Power of Attorney (4 Total Pages)
  - ☐ New executed (faxed original)
  - ☐ Copy from a prior application (for continuation/divisional only)
5. ☐ Priority of foreign Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed on \_\_\_\_\_ is claimed under 35 U.S.C. § 119.
  - ☐ A certified copy is attached.
  - ☐ A certified copy was filed in prior Application Serial No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_.
6. ☒ An Assignment of the invention to Cisco Technology, Inc. is attached. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 C.F.R. § 3.28 and § 3.31 is included with an Assignment recordal fee of \$40.00 pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.21(h).

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[ ] The prior application is assigned of record to Cisco Technology, Inc., a California Corporation, in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office records, and was filed on \_\_\_\_\_.

7. [ ] Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) PTO-1449  
[ ] Copies of IDS Citations.  
[ ] Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(d), copies of these references are not being furnished.

8. [ ] Preliminary Amendment

9. [X] Certificate of Mailing

10. [X] Return Receipt Postcard

11. [ ] Other: \_\_\_\_\_

12. Applicant is:  
[X] Large Entity  
[ ] Small Entity  
[ ] Small Entity Statement enclosed  
[ ] Small Entity Statement filed in prior application.  
Status still proper and desired.

13. The accompanying application is:  
[X] Original  
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CLAIMS AS FILED IN THE APPLICATION, LESS ANY CLAIMS CANCELED  
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FEE CALCULATION					FEE
	Number		Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
					\$ 690.00
Total Claims:	41	-20 =	21	X \$18 =	\$ 378.00
Independent Claims	6	- 3 =	3	X \$78 =	\$ 234.00
TOTAL FILING FEE =					\$1302.00

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I hereby certify that the attached Transmittal, Patent Application, Declaration and Power of Attorney, Assignment, PTO-1595 Assignment Recordation Cover Sheet and Formal Drawings, are being deposited with the United States Postal Service "Express Mail Post Office to Addressee" service under 37 C.F.R. 1.10 on this 8th day of September, 2000, and is addressed to the Assistant Commissioner of Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231.

  
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